

Nurse's Notes - December

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Welcome to winter!

One of the best ways to keep our classrooms healthy is to keep students home when they are sick. This gives them time to recover from their illness and prevents them from sharing with others. Just a few reminders of when students are required to stay home from school:

- If they have had a fever (100.0 F or greater) in the last 24 hours or if they have received fever reducing medication to treat a fever in the last 24 hours.
- If they have vomited or had diarrhea in the last 24 hours
- If they have a rash of unknown cause, particularly with an elevated temperature or other symptoms
- If they have excessive drainage from their eyes or wake up with significant eye discharge
- If they have live lice
- You should consider keeping them home if they have a cough or runny nose that will prevent them from being able to concentrate and participate in class

If you are not sure if your child is well enough to attend school, please either email me at mcain@foxbay.org or call 414-247-4226.

If your child is not going to be able to attend school, please contact the attendance office either by email or phone:

Stormonth Elementary: stormonthattendance@foxbay.org or 414-247-4119

Bayside Middle School: baysideattendance@foxbay.org or 414-247-4225